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WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

| J./ | A method for transmitting a text message including an attachment thereto |
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| in a radiocom | munication system comprising the steps of: |

transmitting said text message to an intended recipient's terminal via a first server, said text message including an address to a second server;

sending said attachment to said second server;

transmitting a message from said intended recipient's terminal to said second server using said address received in said text message; and receiving, from said second server, said attachment.

- 2. The method of claim 1, wherein said attachment is one of an image file and an audio file.
- 3. The method of claim 1, wherein said steps of transmitting a message and receiving said attachment are performed using wireless access protocol (WAP).
- 4. The method of claim 1, wherein said step of transmitting said text message further comprises the step of:
 - including, in said message, a file type associated with said attachment.
- 5. The method of claim 1, wherein said step of receiving said attachment further comprises the step of:

receiving said attachment at said intended recipient's terminal.

6. The method of claim 1, wherein said step of receiving said attachment further comprises the step of:

receiving said attachment at a computer terminal.

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- 7. The method of claim 1, wherein said intended recipient's terminal is a cellular telephone.
- 8. The method of claim 1, wherein said text message is a short message 5 service (SMS) message.
 - A radiocommunication system for transmitting a text message including an attachment thereto in a radiocommunication system comprising:

means for transmitting said text message to an intended recipient's terminal via a first server, said text message including an address to a second server; means for sending said attachment to said second server;

means for transmitting a message from said intended recipient's terminal to said second server using said address received in said text message; and means for receiving, from said second server, said attachment.

10. The system of claim 9, wherein said attachment is one of an image file and an audio file.

- 11. The system of claim 9, wherein said means for transmitting a message and receiving said attachment are performed using wireless access protocol (WAP).
 - 12. The system of claim 9, wherein said means for transmitting said text message further comprises:

means for including, in said message, a file type associated with said attachment.

13. The system of claim 9, wherein said means for receiving said attachment further comprises:

means for receiving said attachment at said intended recipient's terminal.

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14. The system of claim 9, wherein said means for receiving said attachment further comprises:

means for receiving said attachment at a computer terminal.

- 5 15. The system of claim 9, wherein said text message is a short message service (SMS) message.
 - 16. The system of claim 9, wherein said intended recipient's terminal is a cellular telephone.

A mobile station comprising:

a transceiver for transmitting and receiving messages, including a text
message having an attachment thereto; and

a processor for controlling said transceiver and for including, in said text message, an address to a server wherein said attachment resides.

- 18. The mobile station of claim 17, further comprising a memory wherein said address is stored.
- 19. The mobile station of claim 17, wherein said address is a uniform resource locator (URL).
 - 20. The mobile station of claim 17, further comprising:

 means for querying a user of said mobile station regarding whether said attachment is to be transmitted with said text message.

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